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**REMARKS****Paragraph 1 of the Office Action**

The application contains claims directed to the following patentably distinct species of the claimed invention:

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Species A is directed to Figures 1-5 and claims 7-9, and 11; and

Species B is directed to Figures 6-7 and claims 14-20.

Applicant is required under 35 U.S.C. 121 to elect a single disclosed species for prosecution on the merits to which the claims shall be restricted if no generic claim is finally held allowable.

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Applicant has elected species A and has withdrawn claims 14-20 and has retained originally as filed claims 1-13.

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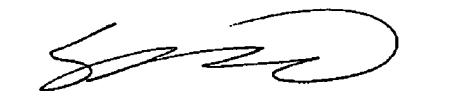
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**CONCLUSION**

10 In light of the foregoing amendments and remarks, early consideration and  
allowance of this application are most courteously solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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